

REMARKS

In response to the Notice of Non Complaint amendment of March 20, 2009, Applicant hereby resubmits the restriction requirement originally filed October 8, 2008.

Election

The Examiner has required restriction between the following groups of claims:

Group I Claims 1-15, 23-24, 26-28 and 31, and

Group II Claims 16-22 and 32.

Applicant elects without traverse the claims of Group I, *i.e.*, 1-15, 23-24, 26-28 and 31.

Claims 16-22 and 32 have been withdrawn, without prejudice to pursue in a divisional application.

Should the Examiner deem further clarification of the record is in order, we invite a telephone call to the Applicant's undersigned attorney to expedite further processing of the application to allowance.

Correspondence and Fees

The Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 C.F.R. §1.121) indicated that all claims marked withdrawn should not be presented with markings. Applicant has corrected the prior claim set and is unaware of any other non-compliance issues. Applicant respectfully request that examination of the above referenced application therefore continue.

Please address all correspondence to the correspondent address for **Customer No. 26345 of Intellectual Docket Administrator, Gibbons P.C.**, One Gateway Center, Newark, NJ 07102-5310. Telephone calls should be made to Andrew M. Grodin at (973) 596-4553 and fax communications should be sent directly to him at 973-639-8355.

No fees are believed to be necessitated by the instant response. However, should this be in error, authorization is hereby given to charge Deposit Account no. 03-3839 for any underpayment, or to credit any overpayments.

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Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Andrew M. Grodin', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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